GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA

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Funds for new Kendriya Vidyalayas
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Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the details of the amount of funds released by the Government for establishing the newly sanctioned Kendriya Vidyalayas (KVs) in various States/UTs including Bihar;
(b) whether any deadline has been set by the Government to start the said schools at the earliest; and
(c) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI UPENDRA KUSHWAHA)
(a) to (c): Grants-in-Aid of Rs.3278.47 crore during the year 2015-16 and Rs.3987.25 crore in the year 2016-17 were allocated by the Government to the Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan (KVS). While releasing funds to the KVS, no specific amount was earmarked by Govt. of India for establishing newly sanctioned Kendriya Vidyalayas (KVs) including Bihar. However, the funds required for establishing newly sanctioned KVs is met out of the Budget provided to the KVS.
Sanction of the Government was conveyed for opening of 54 new Kendriya Vidyalayas (KVs) all over the country on 4.3.2014, on fulfilling the norms for opening of new KVs, which also included two schools in the State of Bihar namely at Sasaram, Distt. Rohtas and Jhajha, District Jamui. So far 46 schools including both the schools in Bihar have been made functional on fulfilment of KVS norms and order for making 1 school functional from 1.4.2017 at Roopnagar, Punjab has been issued.